

**U. S. PATENT APPLICATION JOINT
DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
37 CFR 1.63**

As a below-named joint inventor, each of us hereby declare that:

My individual residence, post office address, and citizenship is as stated below next to my name. I believe that I am an original and first joint inventor of the subject matter claimed in the patent application entitled: "*Method, Kits, and Antibodies for Detecting Parathyroid Hormone*", which was filed concurrently herewith.

Acknowledgment of Review of Papers and Duty of Candor

We have reviewed and understand the above-identified patent application, including the claims.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this specification pursuant to 37 CFR Section 1.56(a).

Power of Attorney

We appoint Brian D. Voyce, a registered patent attorney, to prosecute this patent application and to transact all business associated therewith in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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SMALL ENTITY STATUS DECLARATION

I declare that I am an officer of Scantibodies Laboratory, Inc., a small business concern having its principal place of business at 9336 Abraham Way, Santee, California, and that I am empowered to sign this document.

I also declare that Scantibodies Laboratory, Inc., qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(d), i.e., it and all its affiliates employ no more than 500 employees as an average over the previous fiscal year, including full-time or temporary employees.

I also declare that all rights, title, and interest to the invention in a patent specification entitled as "*Methods, Kits, and Antibodies for Detecting Parathyroid Hormone*" by inventors Thomas L. Cantor and Ping Gao, have been exclusively assigned to Scantibodies Laboratory, Inc.

I acknowledge the duty to file any change of status with the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks before paying any issue or maintenance fee.

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